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- ☒ Response To Restriction Requirement, 1 page.
- ☒ Transmittal Sheet
- ☒ 1 Return Postcard

Authorization is hereby given to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments that may be deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 50-0996 (IBMN.004US01).

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated October 22, 2003 in which a Restriction requirement was made, the claims of Group I (1-18 and 44-68) are hereby elected, without traverse. Please cancel the claims of Group II (19-43 and 69) without prejudice for prosecution in a related patent application.

Applicant acknowledges the drawing objections and will address them by filing formal drawings once the application is allowed.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement is respectfully requested. If the Examiner has any questions or comments, a telephone call to the number indicated below is invited.

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